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CLAIMS:

What is claimed is:

- 1. Apparatus for bridging a fuse of an electronic device comprising:
- a base; and
- 5 a conductive element mounted on the base, which may be brought into contact with and bridge a fuse.
 - The apparatus of claim 1 and further comprising a plurality of conductive elements mounted on the base, at least some of which may be brought into contact with and bridge a fuse.
 - The apparatus of claim 2 wherein the conductive elements are substantially parallel and in spaced-apart relation.
 - 4. The apparatus of claim 2 wherein the base is resilient compressive material.
 - 5. The apparatus of claim 2 wherein the base is insulating material.
 - The apparatus of claim 3 wherein the base is resilient, compressive, insulating material.
 - The apparatus of claim 3 wherein the plurality of conductive elements lies within the periphery of the base.
 - 8. Apparatus for testing an electrical device which includes a fuse comprising:
 - a thermal head;
 - a base mounted on the thermal head;
 - a conductive element mounted to the base, which may be brought into contact with and bridge a fuse with the thermal head adjacent an electrical device.
- 30 9. The apparatus of claim 8 and further comprising a plurality of conductive elements mounted on the base, at least some of which may be brought into contact with and bridge a fuse.
 - 10. The apparatus of claim 9 wherein the conductive elements are substantially parallel and in spaced-apart relation.

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- 11. The apparatus of claim 10 wherein the base is resilient, compressive, insulating material.
- The apparatus of claim 11 wherein the plurality of conductive elements lies within
 the periphery of the base.
 - 13. The apparatus of claim 12 and further comprising an electrical device which includes a fuse.
- 10 14. The apparatus of claim 13 wherein the electrical device further comprises at least one resistor operatively associated with the fuse.